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Reply to Office Action of August 9, 2005

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:	Atty. Docket No.: 011738.00149
Osorio <i>et al.</i>	
Serial No.: 10/687,344	Group Art Unit: 3736
Filed: October 15, 2003	Examiner: Michael C. Astorino
For: SCREENING TECHNIQUES FOR MANAGEMENT OF A NERVOUS SYSTEM DISORDER	Confirmation No.: 7817

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on August 9, 2005. The Office Action set a three-month response deadline, making this paper due on or before November 9, 2005. A request for a one month extension is being filed in conjunction with this paper. The Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account 19-0733 for any fees owed or for any overpayment made, accordingly. Reconsideration of the instant application is respectfully requested in light of the following:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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